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**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST**

**HB 425**

**2019 Regular Session**

**Jackson**

**Keyword and oneliner of the instrument as it left the House**

ABORTION: (Constitutional Amendment) Stipulates that no provision of the constitution protects a right to abortion or requires the funding of abortion

**Report rejects Senate amendments which would have:**

1. Added language relative to the purpose and intent of the constitutional amendment.

**Report amends the bill to:**

1. Change the election date from Oct. 12, 2019 to Nov. 3, 2020.

**Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee**

Proposed constitutional amendment provides that, to protect human life, nothing in present constitution shall be construed to secure or protect a right to abortion or require the funding of abortion.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Nov. 3, 2020.

(Adds Const. Art. I, §20.1)